

Tarland Welfare Trust

Minutes of the Trustees Meeting

8th May 2024 at 7pm in Upper Hall

Present: Sandy Cooper SC, David Hirst DH, David Currie DC, Gordon Muir GM

Apologies: Ruth Mackenzie RM, Duncan Lockerbie DL, Gordon Ross GR, Matt Hare MH, Carrie Jarvis CJ

1. Gordon Muir was welcomed to the meeting and agreed to become a member of the committee. He is keen to help in any of the usual tasks and mentioned he would possibly be applying for an Alcohol licence which potentially could help us when we run our next event.
2. Carrie Jarvis was unable to attend but has indicated her willingness to also join the committee.
3. DH confirmed our application to Coull Hall fund has gone in; we have asked for:
 - a. Dishwasher, £2k,
 - b. Generator socket £1.4k
 - c. Various kitchen items, around £1.5k
4. We have no news on whether our request was accepted and when the money will become available. We had thought we could get the hall floor refurbished and new lines put in but the quote (£8k) was considered too much at this time.
5. The roof has been fixed! It included some extra work on the joists, but the final bill was very reasonable. Thanks to DC for his efforts.
6. DC will now chase the Joiner to re-plaster the various areas that suffered from the ingress of water.
7. DC suggested that we try and gather emails to allow us to target customers for our NEAT shows etc.
8. Unfortunately due to a mix up with dates, Coppers & Gold has been cancelled.
9. SC reported that the Hall has been allocated the 3 normal domestic bins. Whilst these will not cope with large events, it will allow us to handle recycling more easily. Larger events will still need to be reminded to take their rubbish and recycling home.

Next Meeting: Wednesday 5th June 2024 **8pm Small Hall**